

# **WIS 23**

## **Green Lake – City of Ripon**

**West intersection Green Lake County A to Arcade Glen Road  
Green Lake and Fond du Lac County  
Project I.D. 1430-00-74/1431-02-72**



## **Public information meeting**

**February 28, 2006  
4 to 7 pm  
Green Lake City Hall Gymnasium**

# **WIS 23 reconstruction project**

## *Purpose of the meeting*

The purpose of tonight's meeting is to present the preliminary roadway design for the WIS 23 reconstruction project from the west junction of Green Lake County A to Arcade Glen Road in Fond du Lac County. It is an opportunity for you to provide input into the design process. It is also your opportunity to review the current plans and potential impacts.

## *Project information*

The reconstruction of WIS 23 will include a new pavement structure, intersection improvements, realignment and/or combining of some public road access points, and service road construction. Also, additions or upgrades of left-turn lanes and auxiliary lanes will be included in the project. A climbing lane will be installed from the intersection of WIS 23 and WIS 49 to approximately 1500' east of Green Lake County A to increase safety. The bridge over the Puchyan River will be rehabilitated and the deck widened to accommodate the proposed climbing lane. The box culvert over the Silver Creek will be widened to accommodate a wider roadway footprint and taper.

The project is currently scheduled for construction in 2010.

## *Traffic control*

Discussion of the location of traffic during construction operations is currently in progress. Proposed alternatives include:

- Closing the highway to through traffic and signing a detour, or
- Allowing existing WIS 23 to remain open to traffic during construction by using a staged construction operations

## *Right of way*

Additional right of way is required for this project. Specific impact areas consist of the extended westbound climbing lane on the north side of WIS 23, auxiliary lanes between Forest Ridge Road and Westwind Road on both the north and south side of WIS 23, intersection improvements, and new side road locations. Other impact areas depend upon roadway profile and access control. Right of way impacts are identified on the displays provided tonight.

## *Public comments*

We encourage you to talk to our project representatives and ask them any questions you may have. Attached to this handout is a sheet for your written comments and concerns about the project. Please mail any written comments before March 15, 2006, or simply drop it in the comment box tonight.

For more information, please contact:

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## WIS 23 Comment Sheet

**Please place in comment box or mail by March 15, 2006 to:**

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